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APPLICANT : IVAN C. HEISE GROUP NO.: 3671
SERIAL NO. : 10/602,204 EXAMINER: T. Beach
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TITLE : SHROUD FOR A DIGGING MACHINE

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 7, 2004, in the above-entitled application, please enter the following response: